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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I like to spend my money locally, to help our local economy! My last two ISPs have been local, one near Sacramento (I live in the SF Bay Area) and my current ISP, Sonic, is based in nearby Santa Rosa. Our wiring is all copper at the present, though Sonic is planning to upgrade to fiber at some point.

Your assumption that no UNEs are in use is not quite accurate, and having none would affect me, or force me to go with the very corporations that are trying to rewrite the the rules to eliminate my ISP service and force me to sign on with them.

My ISP is definitely competitive, and I get better phone service than I had with ATT! So do NOT bring in the big guns with price hikes to internet and phone. As with cable TV, the field is far too narrow for providers in this country. I don't want to see that happen with internet providers, too.

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